

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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DASHON HINES,

Plaintiff,

-v-

1:21-CV-626

NEW YORK STATE OFFICE  
OF TEMPORARY AND  
DISABILITY ASSISTANCE  
STAFF,

Defendant.

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APPEARANCES:

DASHON HINES  
Plaintiff, Pro Se  
124 Fulton Street  
Apartment Number 5C  
Buffalo, NY 14204

OF COUNSEL:

DAVID N. HURD  
United States District Judge

**ORDER ADOPTING REPORT & RECOMMENDATION**

On May 28, 2021, pro se plaintiff Dashon Hines (“plaintiff”) filed this civil rights action alleging that defendant denied his application for temporary assistance in violation of federal law. Dkt. No. 1. Plaintiff also sought leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* (“IFP”). Dkt. No. 2.

On June 7, 2021, U.S. Magistrate Judge Andrew T. Baxter granted plaintiff's IFP application for the purpose of filing only. Dkt. No. 4. Judge Baxter further advised by Report & Recommendation ("R&R") that plaintiff's complaint be dismissed without prejudice for improper venue. *Id.* Plaintiff has filed objections to the R&R. Dkt. No. 5.

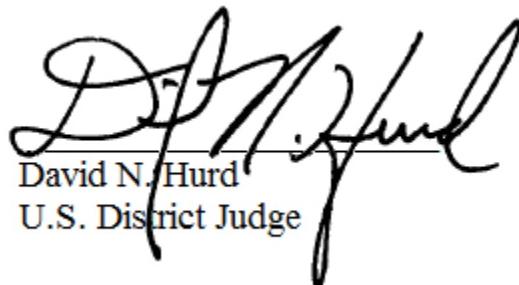
Upon *de novo* review of the portions to which plaintiff has objected, the Report & Recommendation is accepted and adopted in all respects. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(C).

Therefore, it is

ORDERED that

1. The Report & Recommendation (Dkt. No. 4) is accepted and adopted; and
2. Plaintiff's complaint is DISMISSED.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



David N. Hurd  
U.S. District Judge

Dated: June 24, 2021  
Utica, New York.